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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Toshimichi Kurihara, et al.

Examiner: Nema O. Berezny

Serial No.: 09/942,445

Art Unit: 2813

Filed: August 30, 2001

Docket: 14872

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE IN
A RESIN SEALED PACKAGE WITH A
RADIATING PLATE AND
MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

Dated: May 23, 2005

Conf. No.: 7920

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR AN ORAL HEARING


Sir:

Appellants' request an Oral Hearing in the appeal in the above-identified application on appeal. To that end, appellants submit herewith the \$1000.00 as set forth at 37 C.F.R. §1.17(d), which is required to accompany this request.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a)

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Appellants submit that the Request for an Oral Hearing is timely insofar as it is submitted within two months of the date of the Examiner's Answer.

Appellants authorize the payment of any additional charges to Deposit Account No. 19-1013SSMP.

Respectfully submitted,



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